THE

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Containing the freſheſt Advices foreign and domeſtic.

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THURSDAY, *July* 19, 1753.

PARIS, April 13.

LETTERS from Rochelle adviſe, that in the Night, between the 4th and 5th, happened, on that Coaſt, one of the moſt violent Tempeſts ever remembered, which did conſiderable Damage. An outward bound Eaſt India man, and a Lubecker, were loſt in the River of Bourdeaux, with all the Crew: All the Veſſels in the Road of Rochelle, except one, were drove aſhore; and three, bound to St. Domingo, entirely beat to Pieces: And two Veſſels, bound to America, and four ſmall Veſſels, were loſt in the River Nantz.

Venice, April 11, Private Letters from Conſtantinople, bring Advice of the Departure of ſeveral Pachas, in order to aſſemble the different Bodies of Troops which are to compoſe the Grand Signior's Army, which, it is ſaid, will conſiſt of above 80000 Men. It is alſo ſaid, that independent of this Army, there will be one compoſed of the Troops which are in the Provinces of Aſia. We are very impatient to know the Motive of theſe Motions, or whether they are only to be looked upon as neceſſary to keep the turbulent Diſpoſition of the Janizaries within proper Bounds.

Genoa, April 7. The Marquis de Grimaldi, Commiſſary of the Republic in the Iſland of Corſica, having acquainted the Senate, that ſeveral Pieves of that Iſland had ſent Deputies to him, to treat about an Accommodation, the leſſer Council aſſembled a few Days ago, and when they broke up a Felucca was diſpatch'd to Baſtia, with freſh Inſtructions for that Commiſſary, and enjoining him to take all Opportunities to inform the Corſicans that the Republic is quite diſpoſed to forget all that has paſt, upon Condition that they will return to their lawful Obedience, and acknowlege, that they ought to have Recourſe only to that Power which it has pleaſed God to put them under, to deliver them from the Diſtreſs which they have ſo long been in. Theſe Inſtructions are a Proof that the Republic is not yet determined to diſpoſſeſs itſelf of that Iſland, and that if any Overtures have been made for this Purpoſe, ſome political Conſiderations have prevented their being embraced.

Madrid, April 13. Baron Waſſenaer, Ambaſſador from the States General, has delivered a Memorial to the Council appointed for the Management of the Affairs of the Indies, in order to obtain Satisfaction for the unlawful Proceedings of the Spaniſh Privateers, with regard to the Dutch Ships that trade to the Weſt Indies.

Hague, April 22. We hear that the Town of Tangier has acceded to the late Treaty of Peace concluded between the States General and the Emperor of Morocco.

Liſbon, April 3. By the laſt Letters from Rio de Janeiro we have Advice, that the Inhabitants of the Colony of St. Sacrament ſhew great Reluctance to live under the Spaniſh Government, which they are obliged to by the late Treaty of Exchange between the two Crowns; that they have committed great Outrages on the Occaſion, and have even a ſecond Time deſtroyed the Land Marks that were ſet up by Order of the Spaniſh Governor. When theſe Letters came away no violent Methods had been taken, but 'twas thought nothing but Force of Arms would oblige them to ſubmit.

Ratiſbon, April 19. *As his Pruſſian Majeſty declared above two Years ago, and again laſt Year, that he would not have his Title to Eaſt Frizeland canvaſſed by the Aulic Council, nor would ever regard any Sentence of that Tribunal in this Affair: And as ſeveral conſiderable Members of the Diet have already proteſted againſt the Aſſembly's Reſolution to refer this Matter to the Deciſion of that Tribunal, it is apprehended that the puſhing of it vigorouſly may be productive of ſome Diſturbances in Germany.*

Dublin, April 20, *Yeſterday the following Letter, incloſing* 90*l. in Bank Notes, was laſt on a Table in the Dublin Coffee Houſe, directed to Mr. Charles O'Hara.*

" Sir,——*The inward Meltings of Compaſſion for ſuffering Innocence, and that bitter Remorſe ever inſeparable from Guilt, which it is impoſſible to ſtifle, are the Motives of reſtoring you* 90*l. in four Bank Notes incloſed. The Manner of your being wronged is ſo ſurprizing, and ſo myſterious, that you may ceaſe further Enquiry, for it is impoſſible for you to find it out: It is, and will be, an impenetrable Secret on this Side the Grave. Thoſe you ſuſpect are wholly innocent, thoſe you accuſe are greatly injur'd; but now I hope they will be relieved, and the intolerable Stings of a guilty Conſcience removed.*—— *Farewell.* *B. C.*"

LONDON.

April 17. Yeſterday Dr. Cameron of Lochiel, was brought to Town under a ſtrong Guard of Dragoons, and ſecured in the Tower.

By a Letter from Florence we hear, that Capt. V——, the Son of a brave Engliſh Officer, being put under an Arreſt, on Account of a Challenge given, rather than comply with the Offer made of aſking Pardon, ſtabbed himſelf in his Apartment, and died inſtantly.

They write from Aberdeen, that laſt Week a mad Dog bit eight black Cattle, belonging to a Farmer in Ruthven near Huntley, ſeveral of which went mad immediately. In order to prevent the bad Conſequences, the Proprietor cauſed the Whole of them to be ſhot.

April 19. We hear that Orders have been ſent to Scotland, to keep a ſharp Look-out at the ſeveral Sea Ports there, to know what Perſons arrive from foreign Parts.

Yeſterday was held a Board of Admiralty, when a 20 Gun Ship, and three Sloops of War, were ordered to be fitted out, to cruize off the Coaſt of Scotland.

May 1. On Tueſday Evening Dr. Cameron was brought from the Tower to the Cockpit, Whitehall, where he underwent a long Examination before the Council; after which he was ſent back to the Tower. We hear he denies being the Perſon he was taken for.

Letters from Rochfort, of the 7th Inſtant, adviſe, that the two Men of War, ordered to be fitted out there, will ſpeedily put to Sea, and join the Tyger, the Leopard, and the Thetis, which they are equipping at Breſt; and that ſome Land Forces are to be put on board of this Squadron, to reinforce the Garriſon of Pondicherry, though ſome ſay that the Deſtination of the Squadron is not known.

Glouceſter, April 14. Yeſterday were executed here, purſuant to their Sentence, at our late Aſſizes, Anne Williams for poiſoning her Huſband; Walter Crabb, for ſtealing upwards of 40*l.* and William Weobly for Sheep ſtealing. The two latter behaved with the greateſt Compoſure both after Sentence and at the Place of Execution, where they acknowleged the Juſtneſs of their Condemnation, and freely forgave every Body, as they hoped Forgiveneſs at God's Hands: But Anne Williams, who was burnt at the Stake, proteſted her Innocence of the Fact for which ſhe ſuffered with a Behaviour quite unbecoming.

From the Halifax Gazette, *February* 10.

To the PRINTER, &c.

SIR,

If the Oddity of the following Story will recommend it to your Notice, it is at your Service. I lately diſcovered it among other Papers, which may have many Years been thrown aſide,

I am your conſtant Reader, &c.

IN Domfront, in Normandy, the Curate, in Virtue of a very old Cuſtom, obliges the People to pay their Chriſtening and Burial Expences both together. The People have indeed frequently complained, but always received for Anſwer, That what Perſons of his Cloth did, was not for the Laiety to find fault with; they therefore thought proper to complain to the Archbiſhop of Rouen; and the Curate appeared, he owned the Facts to ſave the Time of examining Witneſſes, but deſired his Grace to hear his Reaſons. He had been Curate of that Pariſh, he ſaid, ſeven Years; had chriſtened one Year with another 100 Children, and, ſtrange! not buried one. At firſt he had rejoiced at his good Fortune, to be placed in an Air ſo healthy; but one Day looking into the Regiſter Book had found, that for 100 Years back near the ſaid Number had been yearly baptized, and not one above five Years old buried, and ſtill the Number of Communicants as few now as they were then. This, tho' ſeemingly a Myſtery, upon Enquiry he found the true Cauſe of; for all that are born at Domfront, ſaid he, are hanged at Rouen, and I therefore was neceſſitated to do this, to keep my Pariſhioners from hanging; encouraging them to die at home, from the Conſideration of the burial Duties being previouſly defrayed. The Biſhop demanded to know the Truth of this; and upon being anſwered, too many of them, it muſt be confeſſed, came to their untimely End at Rouen, approved of what the Curate had done, and cauſed his Secretary, *in perpetuam rei memoriam*, to make an Act of it, which the Curate carried home, and the Pariſh ſubmitted, and have found much Benefit, the Number of natural Deaths there increaſing yearly.

St. JOHN's, (in Antigua) June 1.

A Deſcription of the Sloop Nancy, William Shearer *Maſter, ſeized by the Crew in the River* Gambia, *on a pyratical Deſign, the firſt Day of* April, 1753.

BUILT in the Colony of Connecticut, Burthen 70 Tons, nine Months old, deep waiſted, ſix Ports of a Side, five of which are open, and painted with Vermillion, mounted with four Guns, 1 Pounders, two Quarter Scuttles Vermillion painted from the upper Part of the Ports to the lower Part; the Outſide is painted black, and freez'd with Pearl Colour, very large Freeze; the upper Streak on the Roundhouſe plain Vermillion; the Streak below that, green, with a ſmall yellow Freeze; Square Stern painted the ſame; under her Counter blue, with yellow Curtains; and ſteers with a Wheel; has no Regiſter or Cuſtom Houſe Papers, or any other Papers relating to the Cargo.

A Deſcription of the Men on board.

William Read, Mate, born in Paiſley, near Glaſgow, aged about 24 Years, about five Feet ſeven Inches high, a fair Complexion, reddiſh Hair and Eye-brows, and when he ſpeaks faſt ſtammers a little in his Speech: He informed the Maſter that he ſerv'd his Time to Capt. Collin Dunlop, in Greenock.

Robert Douglaſs, Boatſwain, born in Yorkſhire, about 40 Years of Age, five Feet eleven Inches high, very red Hair, and his Face very much freckled; he ſailed long in Privateers from Rhode Iſland, in the late War.

Robert Turner, born in Aberdeenſhire, aged about 24 Years, five Feet nine Inches high, of a black Complexion, very much Pock mark'd.

Cuthbert Chicken, born in Newcaſtle on Tyne, aged about 22 Years, five Feet eight Inches high, ſpeaks broad North Country, and ſerved his Time in the Coal Trade.

John Ellis, from about Eaſt Smithfield, London, aged about 22 Years, of a black Complexion, about five Feet two Inches.

James Pheaſant, from about Fleet Bridge, London, aged about 24 Years, five Feet ten Inches, of a black Complexion, thin, ſpare, and quite illiterate: He ſailed from New York for ſome Years.

Thomas M'Muchan, aged about 18 Years, five Feet high, born in Ireland, ſmooth Face, and has the Iriſh Pronunciation broad. The Maſter ſays that he believes that M'Muchan was quite ignorant

rant of this Affair, as he ſeemed vaſtly ſurprized when they attempted this Deſign, and never mentioned a Word during the whole Affair.

The Maſter further obſerves that ſhe is an exceeding good going Veſſel, and ſails extremely well both upon a Wind, and large.

NEW-YORK.

June 18. In the Briſtol Weekly Intelligencer, brought by Capt. Burchall, dated April 21, and under the London Head of April 17, inſerted in the ſame, we have the following Article, viz.

"William Shirley, Eſq; late Governor of New England, is appointed Governor of New York, in the Room of George Clinton, Eſq; and will in a few Days embark to take Poſſeſſion of the ſaid Government."

June 25. Capt. Kip, who arrived here on Tueſday laſt, in 14 Days from St. Thomas, informs us, That while he lay there, ſeven Sail of Dutch Traders came in, being drove from Porto Rico by four Spaniſh Privateers; that ſoon after, two Schooners and a Sloop arrived there deſigned upon the ſame Trade, and being inform'd of the Privateers, declin'd going down; but holding a Conſultation with the ſeveral Captains of the Dutch Veſſels, they agreed to ſail in a Body againſt the Spaniards, and endeavour to force a Trade; accordingly after making Choice of one of the largeſt of the Dutch Veſſels for a Commodore, they ſet ſail; and, ſeemingly, from the extraordinary Manner in which they departed, in high Spirits, and with a firm Reſolution to drive all before them, there being three Sloops of ſix Carriage Guns each, four of eight, a St. Euſtatia Sloop of ten, and the two Schooners, one of ſixteen, and the other of four; but the next Day coming to an Anchor off Crab Iſland, near St. Thomas's, the Commodore ſent his Boat on board each Veſſel in the Fleet, with Orders for the ſeveral Captains to attend him ſuch an Hour; when, after conſulting ſome Time, he plainly told them, that he thought it an imprudent Attempt, and as he imagined he could not anſwer for the Loſs of any Veſſel in the Fleet, ſhould an Engagement happen, he purpos'd to reſign his Command, and return to St. Thomas; and accordingly weigh'd Anchor a few Hours after, as did all the others in the Fleet, ſave one Captain Brown, who inſtantly bore down, and meeting with no Obſtruction, had extraordinary Succeſs in Trade: After five Days Abſence, he returned to St. Thomas, much to the Satisfaction of all the Iſlanders, and to the utter Diſgrace and Confuſion of all the Commanders in the Fleet that returned.

We are further inform'd by Capt. Kip, That ſome Weeks before he ſailed, a large Sloop, ſuppoſed to belong to ſome Part of Great Britain, and bound to the Coaſt of Guiney, her Loading being Brandy and Gin, was run aſhore on Norman's Iſland, to the Weſtward of St. Thomas: That the Crew of ſaid Sloop, being eight in Number, ſoon after came down to St. Thomas in a Canoe which they had taken the Day before they run aſhore, from a Fiſhing Boat they met near the Iſland: That they had robbed the ſaid Boat of her Sails and Rigging, and likewiſe took a Mulatto Fellow from on board, leaving only one Hand behind: That ſix of the aforeſaid Crew purchaſed a Yaul belonging to a Daniſh Ship at St. Thomas, and went directly to Porto Rico: That the Governor of Tortola, hearing of the above Affair, and ſuſpecting ſomething extraordinary from their robbing the Fiſhing Boat, came up to St. Thomas, in order to apprehend the Fellows, but found none but the Boatſwain and Boy, both of whom he committed: Upon their Examination, finding the Boatſwain deviated much in his Story, he threatened the Boy with the Gallows, when he inſtantly confeſſed, that the Sloop was bound from Briſtol for the Coaſt of Guiney, and that the Crew had thrown the Captain and Mate overboard, with a Deſign to run off with the Sloop, which they accordingly did, but not agreeing among themſelves, the then Captain was determin'd to run her aſhore, which he did on the aforeſaid Iſland. The Governor, after ſeparately confining the Boatſwain and Boy, and ſending Diſpatches after the other ſix Men, returned to Tortola.

By Capt. King, in 16 Days from Coracoa, we learn, That five ſtout Spaniſh Privateers were actually fitted out from St. Domingo, to cruize againſt the Dutch: And, that one of the Coracoa Privateers had had an Engagement with a Spaniſh One, on the Coaſt of Caraccas, in which ſhe received much Damage, and had four of her Hands kill'd.

From Madeira in ſix Weeks we learn, That the Diſputes between the Courts of Spain and Portugal, was likely to be accommodated; the Embargo laid on the Veſſels bound to the Brazils being taken off, and ſeveral Veſſels preparing to ſail thither.

PHILADELPHIA.

June 21. Our Advices, from different Parts of the Weſt Indies, in general agree, that Markets were never lower than they are at preſent.

June 28. From Bucks County there is Advice, that a Child was drowned there the 13th Inſtant, by following ſome Children over a Mill Race; that a Man was ſtruck dead with Lightning in Warwick Townſhip on the 14th; that another died by exceſſive Drinking in the Falls Townſhip on the 17th; and that a third was killed by the Falling of a Tree on the 20th, in Bedminſter Townſhip.

ANNAPOLIS.

On Friday Evening laſt, a Negro Lad belonging to Mr. Long, *Ship Carpenter, diverting himſelf on a Spar, which lay acroſs the Ship's Bowſprit, then lying on the Ground, it roll'd off with him, and one Part of it fell on his Head and killed him on the Spot.*

A few Days ago, as they were weighing the Anchor of a ſmall Veſſel in the Bay, in a pretty rough Sea, the Pawl gave Way, and one of the Hand ſpikes ſtruck a Man on the Temple and knock'd him overboard, where he periſhed. We know not his Name, but he was formerly one of the Severn *Ferrymen.*

Laſt Night a Dwelling Houſe in this Town, belonging to Mr. Black, *of* London, *Merchant, in the Occupation of Mr.* Senhouſe, *Currier, was burnt to the Ground, and a large Quantity of Leather, Tools, Oyl, and other Materials belonging to the Buſineſs, with ſome of the Furniture, deſtroy'd in it. The Fire began (by what Means unknown) in the Kitchen, at the further End from the Chimney, and got to ſo great a Head, before it was diſcover'd, and proper Help could be had, that it could not be extinguiſhed; and had the Wind been at North Weſt, in all Probability all the adjacent Houſes had been laid in Aſhes.* [Had our Fire Engines been in Order for Playing, it is probable the Dwelling Houſe might have been ſaved, and the poor Man's heavy Loſs prevented.]

We hear that a Number of Gentlemen are upon entering into a Scheme for Promoting a FISHERY *in the River* Severn,

[In our laſt, the *ſmall* Word [*little*] was accidentally left out in Mr. *Laconic*'s Letter, between *very* and *ſhort*, in the ſecond Line of the ſecond Paragraph, which *much* alters the Senſe, and the Reader is deſired to correct: Alſo in the *Nota Bene*, the laſt Line but two, read *Raiment for* above *one half.*]

Cuſtom Houſe, Annapolis, *Enter'd ſince* July 5.

Sloop Thomas, Amos Ford, from Hampton;
Snow Maryland Merchant, Lovering, from Biddeford.

Cleared for Departure,

Ship Eagle Galley, John White, for London;
Snow Alliance, George Fortune, for Barbadoes.

To be Sold by the Printer hereof,

A POEM,

On viſiting the ACADEMY of *Philadelphia*, *June*, 1753.

Inventas qui Vitam excoluere per Artes;
Quique ſui memores alios fecere merendo;
Omnibus his niveâ cinguntur Tempora Vittâ. VIR.

By Mr. *SMITH*, of *Long Iſland.*

ALSO,

A GENERAL IDEA of the COLLEGE of *Mirania*;

with a Sketch of the Method of teaching *Science* and *Religion*, in the ſeveral Claſſes: And ſome Account of it's Riſe, Eſtabliſhment, and Buildings. Addreſs'd more immediately to the Conſideration of the Truſtees nominated by the Legiſlature to receive Propoſals, &c. relating to the Eſtabliſhment of a COLLEGE in the Province of *New York.*

Quid Leges ſine Moribus vanæ proficiunt? HOR.

Nullum Animal moroſius eſt; nullum majore Arte tractandum quam Homo. Natura *ſiquitur melius quam ducitur.* SENECA.

RAN away on the 15th of this Inſtant *July*, a Negro Fellow, named *Pompey*, is a likely Negro, and about 30 Years of Age. Had on when he went away, a blue Cloth Coat with Twiſt Buttons, a Pair of blue Breeches, an Oſnabrigs Shirt, a Pair of old Pumps, and a Hat.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Runaway, and brings him to the Subſcriber, living near the Head of *Clement*'s Bay, in *St. Mary*'s County, ſhall be paid one Piſtole, beſides what the Law allows, by

William M'Williams.

June 14, 1753.

RAN away laſt Night, or this Morning, from *Benedict Calvert*, Eſq; of *Annapolis*, a Convict Servant Man, named *John Swain Sydenham*, about 26 or 28 Years of Age, of low Stature, and well made, wears his own Hair, which curls, is a Weſt Countryman, and of a very amorous Diſpoſition; he is a Shoemaker, and has his Tools with him. He has a blue Pea Jacket ſlit down the right Sleeve, and tied with Strips of Leather, having had his right Arm broke laſt Winter. His Apparel uncertain. He is of a pale Complexion, and a moſt immoderate Eater.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Servant, ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have Two Piſtoles Reward, beſides what the Law allows.

July 16, 1753.

NINE PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away laſt Night, in a new Yaul, painted red, with a black Wale, and Turpentine Bottom, from *Weſt River*, the two following Servants, *viz. Richard Hughes*, a Blackſmith by Trade, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, is of a dark Complexion, and an *Engliſhman* born. He had on an Oſnabrigs Shirt, Trowſers, and Frock, a Kerſey Coat, a Pair of Negroes Shoes, and Felt Hat.

Lewis Griffin, a Ship Carpenter and Caulker, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, has had one of his Legs broke, and is very crooked. Had on and with him when he went away, a red Cloth Jacket, two Check Shirts, Oſnabrigs Trowſers, blue Worſted Stockings, and a Felt Hat, and it is likely they may have other Cloaths with them.

Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servants, ſo that they may be had again, ſhall have Four Piſtoles Reward for either of them, or Eight Piſtoles for both; and a Piſtole for the Boat.

Samuel Galloway,
Kinſey Johns.

July 16, 1753.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, on Wedneſday laſt, a very likely neat Convict Servant Woman, named *Elizabeth Hawkins*, of a middle Stature, has light brown Hair, of a fair Complexion, has large white Eyes, ſpeaks good *Engliſh*, and is very bold and talkative. Had on when ſhe went away, a ſtriped blue and white Cotton Gown, an old Plaid Petticoat, covered with blue Stuff Damaſk, and bound with Saddle Binding, a black Silk Hat with Gauze, which goes round inſtead of Lace, black Calf Skin Shoes, and Thread Stockings, with Silk Clocks, and may have other Cloaths, and will probably alter her Dreſs.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and ſecures her ſo that ſhe may be had again, ſhall have Twenty Shillings Reward, beſides what the Law allows.

Mr. Water. *Rachel Pottenger.*

RAN away from the Subſcriber, on the 2d of this Inſtant *July*, a *Scotch* Servant Man, named *William Kamp*, about 24 Years of Age. Had on when he went away, a ſhort blue Coat, an old red Jacket with Lapels, a ruffled Shirt, old Fuſtian Breeches, blue Worſted Stockings, Pumps and Shoes, a middling good Caſtor Hat, but has no Lining in it, a Pair of Petticoat Trowſers, and a large full black Wig, and ſeveral other Things pack'd up in a Pillow Caſe. He has a full Face, with Pimples thereon.

Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant, ſo as his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have Two Piſtoles Reward, and reaſonable Charges, if brought home, paid by

Mrs. Bordman. *John Glan,*
at *Eaſt Nottingham.*

N. B. All Maſters of Veſſels are forbid to take away the ſaid Servant, at their Peril.

To be Sold to the higheſt Bidder,

on Thurſday the 30th *of* Auguſt *next, at Mr.* Peter Maxwell's, *at* Queen's Town, *in* Queen-Anne's *County, for Caſh or Bills of Exchange only,*

A CHOICE Tract of Land, called *Abington*, containing Five Hundred Acres, ſituate about 8 Miles from ſaid *Queen's-Town*, at the Head of *Tuckahoe* Branches, near Mr. *John Bracko*'s, is very convenient for Farming or Planting, there being choice Upland and rich Swamps, and well ſtored with very fine Timber. The Title and Bounds are indiſputable.

Mr. J. Needham. *John Abington.*

NOTICE

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. *Samuel Galloway*, at *West River*, taken up as a Stray, a Dun Horſe, about 13 Hands and a half high, branded on the off Buttock S, and paces ſlow.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *William Neal*, living near *Welch*'s Ferry, in *Prince George's* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Dark Bay Horſe, with a Blaze in his Face, is wall eyed, and brand ed on the off Thigh S, ſuppoſed to be about ſeven Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Clement Trigg*, in *Prince George's* County, near *Bladenſburg*, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Bay Mare, with a meally Flank, and neither dock'd nor branded.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Benjamin Robinſon*, living near *Welch*'s Ferry, in *Prince George's* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Dark Bay Mare, branded on the near Thigh ſomething like a Figure 7, and ſuppoſed to be about 9 Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Thomas Chambers*, living at the Mouth of *South* River, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Black Horſe, branded on the near Buttock A, has ſome ſmall Saddle Spots on his Withers, and one of his hind Feet a little white.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Annapolis, July 15, 1753.

STOLEN or Loſt, on Saturday laſt, over *Severn*, a Gold Ring, with this Poeſy, *When this you ſee, remember me.* J. P. two Pair of Silver Buttons, mark'd J. P. and two Pieces of Eight and a half. Whoever brings the ſaid Things to the Subſcriber, ſhall have Five Shillings Reward, and no Queſtions aſk'd.

John Pearce.

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION ſituate over againſt the *South* River Inſpection Houſe, where the Ships lie to load, about 7 Miles from *Annapolis*, adjoining to the late Mr. *Thomas Worthington*'s and Capt. *Charles Griffith*'s Plantations, and containing by Eſtimation 480 Acres.

Three Lots not built upon, oppoſite to Capt. *Bullen*'s in *Annapolis*.

For Terms, apply to Mr. *Edward Dorſey* and Mr. *William Reynolds*.

Alſo, One Dwelling Houſe and Lot in *Annapolis*, over againſt the Dwelling Houſe of *Edmund Jennings*, Eſq; And

For a Term of Years, A good well built Brick Store Houſe, where Mr. *Weſt* now keeps Store, with a convenient Stable.

For Terms, Enquire of Mr. *Edward Dorſey*.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, an *Iriſh* Apprentice Lad, named *John Reynolds*, a Ship Carpenter by Trade, about 20 Years of Age, of a ſhort Stature, and whitiſh Complexion, his left Leg bandy, and walks with his Toes inward. Had on when he went away, a Pair of Oſnabrigs Trowſers, Check Shirt, brown Cloth Jacket, Shoes, and Stockings; and took away ſundry other Cloaths: He is ſuppoſed to have made a falſe Indenture in his own or ſome other Man's Name: He is ſuppoſed to have gone off with four *Scotch* Servants, in a Canoe, belonging to Mr. *James Baxter*, whoſe Name is in the Stern.

Whoever brings the ſaid Apprentice to the Subſcriber, ſhall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reaſonable Charges.

Richard Patten.

N. B. All Maſters of Veſſels are forbid to carry him off, at their Peril.

RAN away on the 24th of *June* laſt, from the Ship *Generous Friend*, *John Sedgwick* Maſter, lying in *South River*, *Charles Cook*, a Seaman, a middle ſiz'd Man, of a brown Complexion, aged 23 Years; has a red Waiſtcoat, and a Wig or Cap.

Whoever apprehends the ſaid *Cook*, and brings him to the Subſcriber, or ſecures him in any Goal, ſhall receive Three Piſtoles Reward, beſides what the Law allows.

X 2 *John Sedgwick.*

To be Sold, by the Subſcriber, on the Dock *in* Annapolis,

MADEIRA WINE by the Pipe, *Jamaica* RUM, and MELASSES, by the Hogſhead, *Muſcovado* SUGAR by the Caſk or Hundred, *Briſtol* BEER by the Hamper or Dozen; alſo good *Turkey* and *Weſt India* COFFEE, *&c. &c.* at very cheap Rates.

3 *Samuel Middleton.*

RAN away from *Rowland Carnan*'s Store, at *Elk Ridge* Landing, an *Iriſh* Indented Servant Man, named *Rowland Dennis*, a Joyner by Trade, about 30 Years of Age, a ſhort well ſet Fellow, of a ſandy Complexion, and has the Brogue on his Tongue. He took with him the following Cloaths, *viz.* a blue Cloth Coat much worn, a good black broad Cloth Waiſtcoat with Glaſs Buttons, a green Frize lapell'd ditto, Leather Breeches, a Caſtor Hat, a green ſtriped Silk Cap, and ſundry other Cloaths. He went away with one *George Bare*, a *Dutchman*, belonging to Capt. *John Dorſey*. 'Tis imagined they went towards *Frederick Town*, as they were ſeen on that Road. Whoever delivers the ſaid Servant to *Rowland Carnan*, at *Elk Ridge* Landing, or to the Subſcriber, at *Baltimore Town*, ſhall receive FIVE PISTOLES Reward, from

3 *John Carnan.*

To be LET, 3

And enter'd on immediately, for one, two, or three Years, in the High Street, of Baltimore Town, Maryland,

A GOOD Brick HOUSE, three Rooms on a Floor, with Cellaring, Stabling, *&c.* and a large Garden well paled in. For the Particulars, Enquire of Capt. *James Dobbins*, at the Ferry Branch of *Patapſco*.

IF *Robert Allbrook*, be living in this Province, he is deſired to apply to the Printer hereof, and he will hear of Something worth enquiring after. He deſired his Friends that Letters for him might be directed to be left with *Cornelius Cormack* in *Cæcil* County, *Maryland*.

Bladenſburg, June 27, 1753.

RAN away laſt Night, the three following Servants, *viz.*

William Beall, by Trade a Gardener, about 30 Years of Age, is a ſhort thick well ſet Fellow, with a full broad Face, of a pale ſwarthy Complexion, with brown Hair, and light Hazle Eyes: He has a Scar or Dent on his right Jaw, and a Sore on his right Leg: He was born at *Whitehaven* in the North of *England*, ſpeaks very ſlow, and is a very palavering Fellow.

Thomas Starkie, an *Engliſhman*, about 30 or 35 Years of Age, is a tall well made likely Fellow, has a thin Face, and is of a ſwarthy Complexion, with pretty long black curl'd Hair, and ſmokes a great deal of Tobacco.

Nathaniel Sweeting, born in *London*, about 25 or 30 Years of Age, by Trade a Shoemaker, of a middle Stature, is of a very pale yellow Complexion, has black Eyes, is ſomewhat bloated in the Face, and has ſwelled Legs. Had on when he went away, a brown Cloth Jacket, and a ſtriped Linſey Wooſey Jacket under it, a Check Shirt, a Pair of Oſnabrigs Breeches, a Pair of new turn'd Pumps, and a new Felt Hat.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Runaways, and brings them to the Subſcriber, at *Bladenſburg*, ſhall have TWO PISTOLES Reward for each; and if taken fifty Miles from home, THREE PISTOLES for each, paid by

David Roſs.

N. B. This is the fifth Time of *Beall*'s running away; he was taken up three Times in *Kent* County, and the laſt Time near *Frederick Town* in *Virginia*. *Starkie* has likewiſe made ſeveral Trips back, and it is thought they have now taken the ſame Road.

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JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship BUCHANAN, *Capt.* JAMES HALL, *from* LONDON, *and to be Sold by the Subſcriber, at his Store in* ANNAPOLIS, *at the upper Corner of* Bloomſbury Square, *fronting* North-Weſt *and* Tabernacle Streets, *and oppoſite to* St. Anne's *Church*,

A LARGE Aſſortment of *European* and *Eaſt India* GOODS; alſo Rum, Sugar, fine Salt, *&c.* and as he intends for *London* this Fall, will ſell very reaſonably.

He likewiſe carries on the Blackſmiths Buſineſs, as before, and has lately purchaſed a compleat Farrier and Blackſmith, who ſerved his Apprenticeſhip in *London*, and has work'd as a Journeyman in ſeveral of the moſt noted Shops. He alſo will make all Sorts of heavy Work, ſuch as Plowſhares, *&c.* for nine Pence *per* Pound; and ſhoes Horſes at one Shilling each Shoe.

William Roberts.

July 1, 1753.

RAN away laſt Night from on board the Ship *Briſby*, Capt. *John Knill*, juſt arrived from *Briſtol*, and lying off *Annapolis* Road, and bound to *Cheſter Town*, the five following Sailors; *viz. Robert Mantett*, an *Iriſhman*, and is well ſet; *Luke Charles*, a middle aged and middle ſiz'd Man; *John Stocker*, a luſty, brown complexion'd Fellow, with very thick Lips; *Thomas Seymour* and *Thomas Pope*, luſty Fellows; the four laſt are *Engliſhmen*. They had good Sailors Cloaths.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Sailors, or any of them, and brings them to the ſaid Ship, or ſecures them in any Goal, and gives Notice to the Subſcriber, ſhall have a PISTOLE Reward for each Sailor, ſo brought or ſecured, paid by

Thomas Ringgold.

WILLIAM BICKNELL,

SAIL MAKER, in ANNAPOLIS,

HEREBY gives Notice to any Gentlemen who want to have any SAILS made, either for Ships, Snows, Brigs, Schooners, or Sloops, that they may depend on having as good Work done by him, as cheap, and as well fitted, as any brought from *Europe*; having already done the following, to the Satisfaction of his Employers, *viz.* Sails for one Ship, two Brigantines, one Sloop, and a Schooner, for Mr. *Galloway*; two Snows and a Brigantine, for Dr. *Steuart*; one Ship, one Snow, and a Sloop, for Mr. *Roberts*; one Brig each, for Mr. *Ridgely* and Mr. *Sligh*; and a great deal of Work for Mr. *Creagh*, and many others, too tedious to mention. His Price for Work by the Bolt, is 7*s.* 6*d.* Sterling, or equal to that in Currency: If by the Job, as he can agree. He likewiſe makes Bed Bottoms, if the Employer finds Canvas, at 8*s.* or, if he finds it, at 20*s.* And his Employers may depend on being ſerved with Fidelity, by

Their humble Servant,

William Bicknell.

N. B. He has a Servant Man from *London*, who can make or mend Seines or Nets.

London Town, June 14, 1753.

RAN away from the Subſcribers, on Tueſday Morning laſt, the two following Servant Men; *viz.*

Philip Williams, an Indented Servant, a Cabinet and Chairmaker by Trade, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, much pitted with the Small Pox, very dark Complexion, black Eyes, his under Lip on the left Side of his Mouth very thick, which ſomewhat hinders his Speech: He had on an old Hat and grey Wig, a *German* Serge Coat much ſpotted with Tar, a brown Linnen Jacket and Breeches, new Pumps, new Thread Stockings, and a very good white Shirt.

Henry Gibbons, a Carpenter, about the ſame Height with *Williams*, ſtoops much forward in his Walking, looks mild, and ſeldom ſpeaks without ſmiling; one Toe of his left Foot lies over the others: He had on a new Oſnabrigs Jacket, Shirt, and Trowſers (the Jacket without Buttons), a new Felt Hat, an old Silk Cap, and old Shoes.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Runaways, or either of them, and ſecures them ſo as their Maſters may have them again, ſhall have a PISTOLE Reward for each, beſides what the Law allows.

William Brown,
James Diſney.

N. B. It is ſuppoſed they are gone towards the Eaſtern Shore, having taken a Schooner Boat, belonging to *William Chiffen*.

A CERTAIN Person has 760 Acres of fine Land, situate on *Little Manochesy*, having Barrens on both Sides, is well water'd, but has no Lime Stone Springs, 200 Acres of which he would sell (having an incontestible Right), and the rest he would Tenant out in small Parcels, on very reasonable Terms. Enquire of *Jonas Green*, and know further.

To be Sold by Samuel Soumaien, *at his House in* Annapolis,

A NEAT Eight Day Clock, and a Spring Clock which Chimes and Repeats; some very valuable Gold, Silver, and Pinchbeck Watches; and all Sorts of Gold and Silver Work, both large and small; Coral Necklaces for Children: Also *Cheshire* Cheese; Olives; Capers; Raisins; Citron; and *Lisbon* Lemons; Mustard Seed; white Rope for Bed Cords; Diaper for Table Cloths; Sheeting Linnen; and many other Things, at very reasonable Rates.

June 4, 1753.

RAN away from the Subscribers, living on the lower End of *Kent Island*, the following Convict Servants, *viz.*

Thomas Jones, a *Welchman*, about 40 Years of Age, is a short well set Man, has a long Nose a little crooked, Part of his Head is bald, his Eyes are very weak, and is hard of hearing. He has taken a large Sum of Money with him; the Person or Persons taking him up, are desired to secure what Money he has left.

Margaret Vyans, a tall lusty Woman, born in *Ireland*, has a flat Face, black curl'd Hair, hazle Eyes, and is freckled. Had on a striped Kersey Country made Petticoat, a quilted Petticoat very much worn, an Osnabrigs Shirt, an old stamp'd Linnen Gown, and a Pair of blue Worsted Stockings.

They have Variety of Cloaths.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and brings them to their Masters, shall have Twenty Shillings Currency Reward for each, besides what the Law allows, paid by

John Collar,
Henry Weedon.

Maryland, Patapsco, June 4, 1753.

EIGHT PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from the *Baltimore* Iron Works, on Saturday Night last, being the 2d Instant, two *English* Convict Servant Men, belonging to *Charles Carroll*, Esq; and Company; *viz. John Williams*, born in *Herefordshire*, and bred a Farmer, aged about 30 Years, of a brown Complexion, middle Stature, well set, has a broad Face, a great Blemish in one of his Eyes, speaks broad, and his Head lately shaved.

John Oulton, born in the Country, but bred mostly in *London*, speaks good *English*, is likewise of middle Stature, but a smaller Man than *Williams*, is a smooth spoken Fellow, of a whitish Complexion, light Hair, and pretty much pock mark'd. They have left most of their working Cloaths behind them, and stole the following; *viz.* a long skirted white Cloth Coat pretty much worn, trimm'd with white Metal Buttons, and double breasted, a Felt Hat, a Pair of white Yarn Stockings, two white Shirts, two Pair of Negro Shoes, a Pair of neat wooden heel'd Pumps, a new Bearskin Coat of a darkish Colour, trimm'd with Metal Buttons, a brown Cloth Waistcoat without Sleeves, a Pair of striped Holland Breeches, two odd Buckles, two or three Pair of new Crocus Trowsers, a brown and a grizzle Wig, and may have other Things.

They have taken with them two Cart Horses, both Bay; one of them pretty large, and very old, but cannot remember the Brand, and gaul'd a little on the Shoulders; the other a well turn'd Horse, in good Order, about nine Years old, a Star in his Forehead, both of them bob'd short, and shod all round, and the Shoes stampt thus, *

Whoever secures the said Runaways in any Goal, within 30 Miles from said Works, shall have Fifty Shillings for each; if 50 Miles from said Works, Three Pounds Ten Shillings for each; and if taken out of the Province, Four Pistoles for each; and reasonable Charges, if brought home.

Richard Croxall.

STOLEN from *Sparrow's* Point, in *Baltimore* County, the second of this Instant, a Canoe of the following Dimensions, *viz.* twenty eight Feet Keel, two Feet and a half Beam; goes with four Oars painted, a Locker in the Stern, six Seats, pay'd with Turpentine, and wall sided; has a Chain and Lock, and a Gaffcot. Whoever secures the said Canoe, and brings her to the Subscriber, shall have a reasonable Reward, paid by

X 6 *John Perveal.*

To be SOLD cheap,

A LARGE new COPPER KETTLE, which holds about 90 Gallons; also large Iron bound BUTTS holding about 300 Gallons each. Enquire of the Printer hereof. 9

RAN away from Capt. *William Tippell*, sometime in *March* last, the two following Servants, *viz.*

George Godfrey, a *Scotchman*, about 25 or 26 Years of Age, of a swarthy Complexion, is pitted with the Small Pox, and of a middle Stature: Had on when he went away, an old Waistcoat, Check Shirt, and Trowsers.

John Williams, about the same Age, a Leather Breeches Maker, and is a short well-set Fellow: Had on a Coat made of Drillings, and a Wig: They pass for Sailors that have been cast away; and were seen at *St. Jerom's*, in *St. Mary's* County; and it is supposed they are gone towards *York*, in *Virginia*.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and secures them, so that they may be had again, shall have Two Pistoles Reward for each, besides what the Law allows, paid by

10 *Samuel Galloway.*

JAMES HUTCHINGS,
Living at Cow Pen Point, *on* Kent Island,

HEREBY acquaints the Public, That he will now Ferry over to *Annapolis*, a single Horse and Man in one Boat for *Twelve Shillings and Six pence*; a single Man for *Seven and Six pence*; and if more than one, then at *Five Shillings* a Piece. Having good Boats and Hands; and constant Attendace is given, and Gentlemen may have good Entertainment for themselves, Servants, and Horses, as usual, from

Their humble Servant,
James Hutchings.

To be Sold by the said *Hutchings*, a good SAILING BOAT, 21 Feet Keel, 8 Feet Beam, and near 4 Feet deep, with Sails and Rigging.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the EAGLE, *Capt.* JOHN WHITE, *from* LONDON, *and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store in* ANNAPOLIS, *at very little Profit either Wholesale or Retale, for Bills of Exchange, Gold, Silver, Paper Money, or Tobacco,*

A LARGE Assortment of *European* and *East India* GOODS, Sail Cloth of all Sorts, Anchors of all Sizes from half a hundred to seven hundred, Cables, running Rigging, Bolt Rope, Sail Twine, all Kinds of Lines, and Ship Chandlery: Also several Parcels of Cutlery, sorted in Boxes, of about 16*l.* prime Cost.

12. *Stephen West.*

WHEREAS Madam *Margaret Ward*, deceased, by her last Will, did devise One hundred Pounds Sterling to such of her Relations on the Western Shore as *Richard Bennett*, Esq; deceased, should direct; and in Case he should die before the Payment thereof, then to such of her Relations as I should direct; and as Mr. *Bennett* did not direct to whom the said Money should be paid, and as it is unknown to me who of her Relations are in the most necessitous Condition; these are, therefore, to desire her said Relations to repair to me, at *Annapolis*, in the second Week of the next General Assembly, in order that I may direct the Payment of the said Money, as near as may be, according to the Intent of the Testatrix.

13 *Edward Lloyd.*

RAN away from the Ship *Loyal Judith*, Capt. *Malachy Fox* Commander, now lying in *Patuxent* River, three Indented Servants; *viz.*

John Archer, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, a pale Complexion, a strong well set Man, and is of a good Behaviour. Had on when he went away, a light colour'd Coat, Leather Breeches, and a dark Wig. It is supposed he has a forged Pass.

John Weldon, a House Carpenter and Joyner, a lusty well made Man, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high. Had on when he went away, a blue Jacket and red Breeches.

Thomas Smith, a Cook, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high; he has a light colour'd Coat, and black Jacket; but it is supposed he travels in a Sailor's Habit.

It is imagined they will make for *Philadelphia*, as *Weldon* has been in the Country before, and knows the Road that Way.

Whoever takes up the said Runaways, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward for each, besides what the Law allows, paid by

David Arnold,
at *Lower Marlborough.*

WHEREAS there is a Vacancy for a Master in *Queen Anne's* County School: Any Person professing himself a Member of the Church of *England*, and capable of teaching Grammar, Mathematics, Arithmetic, and good Writing, applying to the Visitors of said School, will meet with as much Encouragement as the Law relating to Free Schools will support them in.

Signed per *Order*,
Nathan Wright, Reg.

SCHEME
OF A
LOTTERY,

For raising the Sum of THREE HUNDRED PISTOLES, for purchasing a TOWN CLOCK, and cleaning and securing the DOCK, in ANNAPOLIS.

Numb. of Prizes.		*Value in Pistoles.*		*Total.*
1	of	100	is	100
2	of	50	are	100
4	of	30	are	120
6	of	20	are	120
8	of	10	are	80
55	of	4	are	220
175	of	2	are	350
900	of	1	are	900
1 first drawn				5
1 last drawn				5
1153 Prizes,				2000
3447 Blanks				

4600 Tickets, at Half a Pistole each, amount to 2300 Pistoles, from which deduct 300, there will remain to pay off the Prizes, 2000 Pistoles.

The Drawing to begin on the 14th Day of *September* next, or sooner, if sooner full, in the Court-House, at *Annapolis*, in the Presence of at least three of the Managers, and as many of the Adventurers as shall think fit to attend; and continue Drawing 'til finish'd.

A List of the Prizes to be published in the *Maryland Gazette*, as soon as the Drawing is compleated, that the Adventurers may know the Fate of their Tickets.

The Money to be paid to the Fortunate as soon as the Drawing is finish'd; and all Prizes not demanded in eight Months after Drawing, to be deemed as generously given for the above Purposes.

The Managers appointed, are *Benjamin Tasker*, jun. *George Steuart*, *Walter Dulany*, and *Edward Dorsey*, Esqrs. Dr. *Alexander Hamilton*, Messieurs *Robert Swan*, *Lancelot Jacquet*, *William Reynolds*, *Samuel Soumaien*, *Beale Bordley*, *James Maccubbin*, *James Johnson*, and *Jonas Green*, who have given Security, and are upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

The Whole to be conducted, as near as may be in the same Manner as the State Lotteries in *England*.

Tickets to be had of any of the Managers.

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